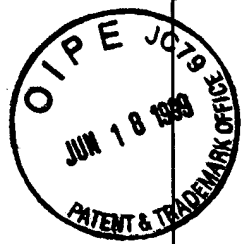


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In response to the Office Action of March 17, 1999, please amend this application
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Kindly cancel claims 1-9, without prejudice.